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The following report

contains information on the 1950 harvest, the number of livestock in Czechoslovakia, the number of persons employed in agriculture, and the distribution of land.

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Crop	Czech Provinces		Slovakia		Entire Country	
	Hectares Planted	Harvest (q)	Hectares Planted	Harvest (q)	Hectares Planted	Harvest (q)
Wheat	458,536	9,399,171	338,189	5,818,238	796,725	15,217,409
Rye	518,437	10,117,990	182,581	2,883,851	701,018	13,001,841
Rye mixture	5,745	103,078	2,800	45,924	8,545	149,002
Winter barley	5,276	97,452	6,727	107,654	11,993	205,106
Spring barley	306,030	6,242,895	254,458	4,101,746	560,488	10,343,641
Oats	407,813	7,752,355	162,462	2,063,885	570,275	9,817,040
Oat. barley mixture	49,773	990,252	5,998	142,516	55,771	1,132,767
Corn	17,216	317,196	39,529	1,726,227	107,207	2,043,823
Corn mixture	-	-	29,618	428,473	-	-
Total grain	1,769,428	35,021,489	1,076,390	10,518,515	2,845,818	52,340,102
Edible legumes	8,566	96,903	7,694	127,245	16,260	224,148
Beans	909	15,147	320	6,719	1,229	22,066
Mixtures	6,981	98,077	841	13,798	7,822	111,175
Fodder legumes	37,848	579,431	13,910	197,845	51,758	777,276
Rape	11,754	145,451	459	8,109	12,213	151,560
Mustard	11,831	79,707	452	3,677	12,282	83,384

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Crop	Czech Provinces		Slovakia		Entire Country	
	Hectares Planted	Harvest (a)	Hectares Planted	Harvest (a)	Hectares Planted	Harvest (a)
Poppy seed	14,338	92,800	3,179	22,563	17,517	115,163
Flax stems	22,469	117,004	8,723	138,471	28,192	575,475
Early potatoes	13,177	1,238,554	2,580	186,185	15,757	1,424,738
Mid-season potatoes	24,999	2,743,700	5,592	471,697	30,591	3,215,397
Late potatoes	354,633	40,126,099	167,843	17,892,144	522,476	58,020,243
Total potatoes	392,809	44,110,352	176,015	18,550,026	568,824	62,660,378
Sugar beets	151,673	34,457,293	42,663	9,330,403	194,336	43,787,696
Chicory	3,347	486,294	1,249	103,247	4,596	589,541
Fodder beets	100,840	23,908,675	31,476	7,537,445	132,316	31,466,120
Red clover	345,956	14,880,078	115,193	4,979,058	461,148	19,659,136
Lucerne	212,049	10,261,942	73,200	4,242,576	285,249	14,504,518
Permanent pastures	725,686	23,754,414	427,048	13,021,858	1,152,734	36,776,272
Temporary pastures	121,430	3,875,642	19,120	631,414	140,550	4,507,056
Mixtures	112,451	3,284,741	39,310	1,582,510	151,761	4,867,251
Corn and sunflower seeds	18,933	971,089	16,078	1,162,039	37,011	2,133,128

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Livestock as of 1 January 1951

	No as of 1 Jan 37	No as of 1 Jan 48	Number of animals as of 1 January 1951			Total
			Czechoslovak State Farms	Agricultural Cooperatives	Private Sector	
Cows	2,340,644	1,361,853	63,270	1,040	1,887,978	1,954,286
Calves	--	185,819	11,508	176	360,578	372,261
Total cattle	4,376,045	3,274,976	172,967	2,590	4,037,199	4,212,756
Sows	487,989	296,247	36,726	473	436,557	473,753
Total hogs	3,159,583	2,565,901	411,402	3,888	3,802,394	4,217,683
Ewes	401,891	323,073	36,136	334	279,332	315,802
Total sheep	485,111	386,250	87,411	417	442,864	530,692
Goats	1,045,939	522,330	391	2	1,012,516	1,012,909

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SECRETNumbers of Persons Employed in Agriculture*
as of 31 December 1949

State Statistical Office, Prague

Kraj	Owners, Renters, National Admin- istrators (who actually farm)		Permanently Employed Family Members		Administrative and Guard Personnel		Domestic Workers		Day Laborers, Sharecroppers Employed All Year		Total		Grand Total
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
Prague													
Prague city	658	214	152	536	298	64	118	51	899	421	2,125	1,286	3,411
Other area	51,042	17,985	14,178	58,337	1,086	154	2,717	1,710	5,154	6,310	74,177	84,496	158,673
Ceske Budejovice	37,987	13,051	11,837	46,902	771	59	836	782	2,712	1,481	54,143	62,275	116,418
Pizen	33,907	9,526	8,996	40,563	799	66	920	710	2,464	1,497	47,086	52,362	99,448
Karlovy Vary	9,109	772	2,654	10,824	547	62	418	213	2,029	1,566	14,757	13,437	28,194
Usti nad Labem	16,217	2,276	4,546	19,040	561	66	924	491	2,191	2,124	24,439	23,997	48,436
Liberec	16,570	4,774	4,882	18,925	429	35	530	376	1,172	829	23,583	24,939	48,522
Hradec Kralove	30,915	9,879	7,724	34,273	376	45	1,066	975	1,466	1,208	41,547	46,380	87,927
Pardubice	28,506	10,779	7,167	32,650	268	28	1,011	748	1,103	850	38,055	45,055	83,110
Jihlava	39,095	9,407	12,006	47,809	544	39	1,172	969	1,613	1,088	54,430	59,312	113,742
Brno	43,665	15,860	12,067	52,682	508	31	926	822	2,186	1,306	59,352	70,701	130,053
Olomouc	28,460	14,241	7,246	32,863	604	52	1,142	1,300	2,093	1,466	40,245	49,922	90,167
Gottwaldov	40,707	29,639	10,100	47,698	389	48	728	652	1,353	684	53,277	78,721	131,998

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Ostrava	17,614	18,499	4,649	22,668	476	32	788	1,012	1,947	1,355	25,474	43,566	69,040
Total, Czech Provinces	394,452	156,902	108,904	465,770	7,656	781	13,296	10,811	28,382	22,185	552,690	656,449	1,209,139
Bratislava													
Bratislava city	694	554	359	853	46	6	34	7	74	15	1,207	1,435	2,642
Other area	57,741	21,037	19,631	62,233	786	103	1,125	338	5,275	1,366	84,558	85,077	169,635
Nitra	72,234	23,086	22,601	73,581	1,109	140	955	249	8,030	1,911	104,899	98,967	203,866
Banska Bystrica	41,772	13,550	17,464	53,004	800	238	649	264	2,420	691	63,107	67,747	130,854
Zilina	38,821	25,460	14,712	53,862	406	151	690	676	1,287	619	55,916	80,768	136,684
Kosice	32,193	12,599	14,628	42,801	449	70	383	172	1,738	565	49,391	56,207	105,598
Presov	53,610	11,474	27,369	74,684	392	172	190	143	250	183	81,811	86,656	168,467
Total, Slovakia	297,035	107,760	116,764	361,018	3,990	880	4,026	1,849	19,074	5,350	440,889	476,857	917,746
Total, entire country	691,487	264,662	225,668	826,788	11,646	1,661	17,322	12,660	47,456	27,535	993,579	1,133,306	2,126,885

* Agriculture is defined as farming, forestry, gardening, fishing, vinegrowing, etc.

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Distribution of Land
in 1950

<u>Type of Land</u>	<u>Amount of Land (hectares)</u>		
	<u>Czech Provinces</u>	<u>Slovakia</u>	<u>Entire Country</u>
Arable	3,497,208	1,727,810	5,225,018
Gardens	147,880	68,063	215,943
Forests	725,686	427,048	1,152,734
Pastures	366,363	565,308	931,671
Vineyards	6,184	12,583	18,767
Willow forests	1,168	2,848	4,034
Total agricultural land	4,744,507	2,803,660	7,548,167
Forests	2,426,992	1,729,558	4,156,550
Ponds	48,282	1,119	49,401
Built-up area	128,436	75,907	204,343
Total area	7,886,670	4,898,265	12,784,935

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